

**MINIATURE COVERED BRIDGE CONTEST**  
to be held at the  
**ASHTABULA COUNTY COVERED BRIDGE FESTIVAL**

The Ashtabula County Covered Bridge Festival Committee, along with the Ashtabula County Engineer's Office, would like to invite you to enter the "Mini Covered Bridge Contest" this year. We have Covered Bridge buffs from all over the country stop in and take pleasure in the wonderful display of bridges made by individuals who put many hours into these models.

If you've registered before, please enter again. If you haven't, then why not join in the fun? We hope to make this an exhibit that shows creativity from different views and a variety of covered bridges seen through the creator's eyes. Show off your talents, enthusiasm and pride in our county. Here are the details:

All entries must be delivered to the Fire Department building in Jefferson, Ohio on **Friday, October 13th, 2017 between 3:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. All entries must be picked up on Sunday, October 15th, 2017 between 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. We will not accept any entries prior to this time and they MUST be delivered to the Fire Department along with the \$5 entry fee. No exceptions.**

Following the entry period, judging will be done by a team of selected persons. Depending on the division, judging will be based on true scale (1'=1" and/or Relationship of components), materials used, likeness (identifiable as an existing Ashtabula County Bridge), detail and finish. The classes are as follows:

*ADULT CLASS* - 16 yrs. & older / Scale wood models

*ADULT CLASS* - 16 yrs. & older / Non-Scale wood models

*JUNIOR CLASS* - 15 yrs. & younger / Non-Scale wood models  
(Includes: Popsicle sticks, tooth picks, etc.)

**For the classes above, 90% of the materials used MUST be cut wood**

*MISCELLANEOUS CLASS* - Open to all ages  
(Includes: carvings and all others not listed above)

**NOTE:** If you entered a bridge and won a prize in a prior year, the same bridge is not eligible for a prize this year. We encourage you to display your bridge, but it will not be considered for another prize.

*PRIZES:* All classes will be awarded a 1st place cash prize of \$20, a 2<sup>nd</sup> place ribbon and a 3rd place ribbon.

**MINI COVERED BRIDGE CONTEST REGISTRATION FORM**

(Print this form, complete it, and bring it to the fire department with your bridge, on Friday, October 8th, 2016 between 3:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_

(Age and school determine division status)

FIRST TIME ENTRY? YES NO                    DISPLAY ONLY? YES NO

HOW WAS THIS ITEM MADE? \_\_\_\_\_

(Wood, crochet, needlework, plastic canvas, paper products, etc.)

IS YOUR MODEL BUILT TO SCALE? YES NO (e.g. 1"=1')

IS YOUR BRIDGE MODELED AFTER AN EXISITING BRIDGE? YES NO

IF YES, NOTE THE NAME AND LOCATION \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete this form and bring it with you to the Covered Bridge Festival to set up your display between 3:00 pm and 6:30 pm Friday, October 13th. A \$5 entry fee is required. You must pick up your display between 3:00 pm and 5:00 pm Sunday, October 15th.**

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DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE. FOR OFFICE USE ONLY.

Color \_\_\_\_\_ Number issued \_\_\_\_\_

Received by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Redeemed by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
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**This claim form must be presented when you pick up your entry.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_